

Table 5. Number of nonfatal occupational injuries and illnesses involving days away from work ¹ by selected injury or illness characteristics and major industry sector, 2006

California--local government

Characteristic	Local government 2, 3, 4	Goods producing				Service providing								
		Total goods producing	Natural resources and mining 2,3	Construction	Manufacturing	Total service providing	Trade, transportation, and utilities 4	Information	Financial activities	Professional and business services	Education and health services	Leisure and hospitality	Other services	Public Administration
Total.....	31,460	510	--	510	--	30,950	2,640	200	--	--	15,320	1,170	--	11,100
Nature of injury, illness:														
Sprains, strains.....	12,140	290	--	290	--	11,850	1,130	90	--	--	6,100	530	--	3,830
Bruises, contusions.....	2,440	60	--	60	--	2,380	140	--	--	--	1,560	140	--	450
Cuts, lacerations.....	770	--	--	--	--	760	40	--	--	--	340	50	--	300
Fractures.....	1,170	--	--	--	--	1,160	70	--	--	--	560	30	--	490
Heat burns.....	260	--	--	--	--	260	--	--	--	--	190	--	--	50
Carpal tunnel syndrome.....	200	--	--	--	--	200	20	--	--	--	70	--	--	100
Tendonitis.....	230	--	--	--	--	230	30	--	--	--	60	--	--	110
Chemical burns.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Amputations.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Multiple traumatic injuries.....	2,370	--	--	--	--	2,370	170	--	--	--	1,450	60	--	640
Part of body affected:														
Head.....	940	20	--	20	--	910	90	--	--	--	260	70	--	480
Eye.....	300	--	--	--	--	290	60	--	--	--	60	--	--	140
Neck.....	430	--	--	--	--	430	40	--	--	--	260	--	--	120
Trunk.....	10,720	210	--	210	--	10,510	710	90	--	--	5,830	400	--	3,360
Shoulder.....	1,990	40	--	40	--	1,950	160	30	--	--	1,050	50	--	620
Back.....	5,830	130	--	130	--	5,700	440	60	--	--	3,070	250	--	1,840
Upper extremities.....	4,630	60	--	60	--	4,570	470	40	--	--	2,170	240	--	1,580
Wrist.....	830	--	--	--	--	830	120	--	--	--	310	50	--	340
Hand, except finger.....	600	20	--	20	--	580	90	--	--	--	210	40	--	220
Finger.....	910	20	--	20	--	890	50	--	--	--	390	70	--	360
Lower extremities.....	6,670	120	--	120	--	6,550	490	50	--	--	3,450	260	--	2,150
Knee.....	2,380	100	--	100	--	2,280	200	30	--	--	1,020	90	--	880
Foot, except toe.....	720	--	--	--	--	720	60	20	--	--	410	40	--	180
Toe.....	380	--	--	--	--	380	30	--	--	--	260	--	--	40
Body systems.....	1,080	--	--	--	--	1,080	160	--	--	--	310	--	--	560
Multiple parts.....	5,420	90	--	90	--	5,330	390	20	--	--	2,830	140	--	1,820

See footnotes at end of table.

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		Total goods producing	Natural resources and mining ^{2,3}	Construction	Manufacturing	Total service providing	Trade, transportation, and utilities ⁴	Information	Financial activities	Professional and business services	Education and health services	Leisure and hospitality	Other services
Source of injury, illness:													
Chemicals and chemical products.....	120	--	--	--	--	120	--	--	--	40	20	--	50
Containers.....	1,580	20	--	20	--	1,550	40	40	--	1,030	130	--	290
Furniture and fixtures.....	1,340	--	--	--	--	1,340	30	--	--	1,100	80	--	70
Machinery.....	660	--	--	--	--	660	50	--	--	500	30	--	80
Parts and materials.....	950	--	--	--	--	940	190	--	--	340	70	--	340
Worker motion or position.....	9,380	250	--	250	--	9,130	780	100	--	4,540	270	--	3,300
Floors, walkways, ground surfaces.....	5,090	50	--	50	--	5,040	290	30	--	2,950	210	--	1,460
Tools, instruments, and equipment.....	1,950	--	--	--	--	1,930	190	--	--	1,030	70	--	620
Vehicles.....	1,830	80	--	80	--	1,750	310	--	--	400	70	--	930
Health care patient.....	480	--	--	--	--	480	--	--	--	420	--	--	50
Event or exposure:													
Contact with objects and equipment.....	4,190	110	--	110	--	4,080	430	--	--	2,310	180	--	1,030
Struck by object.....	2,300	40	--	40	--	2,270	120	--	--	1,500	90	--	470
Struck against object.....	580	60	--	60	--	520	130	--	--	200	20	--	160
Caught in equipment or object.....	520	--	--	--	--	520	70	--	--	310	--	--	120
Fall to lower level.....	1,080	--	--	--	--	1,070	70	20	--	580	70	--	300
Fall to same level.....	3,880	20	--	20	--	3,860	210	20	--	2,540	200	--	820
Slips, trips, loss of balance--without fall.....	1,770	40	--	40	--	1,730	40	--	--	1,300	30	--	350
Overexertion.....	4,720	40	--	40	--	4,670	320	40	--	2,930	250	--	1,080
Overexertion in lifting.....	2,570	20	--	20	--	2,540	100	--	--	1,530	140	--	740
Repetitive motion.....	1,190	--	--	--	--	1,190	80	30	--	640	60	--	370
Exposure to harmful substances.....	1,540	--	--	--	--	1,540	160	--	--	550	70	--	730
Transportation accidents.....	1,420	50	--	50	--	1,370	230	--	--	270	30	--	810
Fires and explosions.....	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Assaults and violent acts by person.....	1,790	--	--	--	--	1,790	70	--	--	790	20	--	880

¹ Days-away-from-work cases include those that result in days away from work with or without job transfer or restriction.

² Excludes farms with fewer than 11 employees.

³ Data for mining (Sector 21 in the *North American Industry Classification System* -- United States, 2002) include establishments not governed by the Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA) rules and reporting, such as those in oil and gas extraction and related support activities. Data for mining operators in coal, metal, and nonmetal mining are provided to BLS by the Mine Safety and Health Administration, U.S. Department of Labor. Independent mining contractors are excluded from the coal, metal, and nonmetal mining industries. These data do not reflect the changes the Occupational Safety and Health Administration made to its recordkeeping requirements

effective January 1, 2002; therefore estimates for these industries are not comparable to estimates in other industries.

⁴ Data for employers in rail transportation are provided to BLS by the Federal Railroad Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation.

NOTE: Dashes indicate data that are not available. Because of rounding and data exclusion of nonclassifiable responses, data may not sum to the totals.

SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics, U. S. Department of Labor, Survey of Occupational Injuries and Illnesses in cooperation with participating State agencies.